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Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed April 19, 2002, Applicants attach hereto a Terminal Disclaimer, in order to obviate the Examiner's double-patenting rejection based on claims 3 and 5 of US 5,685,380. Accordingly, applicants assert that claims 29 and 30 of the above-referenced Application are allowable. Prompt notice of allowance is respectfully requested.

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